SOUTH CAROLINA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

HEARING OFFICER DIRECTIVE

DOCKET NO. 2020-106-A ORDER NO. 2020-43-H

May 27, 2020

Hearing Officer: David Butler

DOCKET DESCRIPTION:

Actions in Response to COVID-19

MATTER UNDER CONSIDERATION:

Request to File Comments Out-Of-Time and for Leave to Participate in Virtual Hearing

HEARING OFFICER ACTION:

United Telephone Company of the Carolinas LLC d/b/a CenturyLink ("CenturyLink") requests leave to file comments out-of-time and permission to participate in the Virtual Forum scheduled for May 27, 2020 at 10 AM. CenturyLink states that it inadvertently missed the filing deadline in response to Order No. 2020-372 and later orders concerning, among other things, measures to mitigate impacts of COVID-19 on utility customers and other reporting requirements.

The Commission has indicated that it desires comments and participation in this matter from South Carolina utilities that want to be heard in these matters. Accordingly, CenturyLink's requests are granted. CenturyLink may submit comments out-of-time and may participate in the Virtual Forum scheduled for 10 AM on May 27, 2020.